

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Mitsuji MARUMO) : Examiner: Shrinivas H. Rao
Application No.: 09/450,680) : Group Art Unit: 2814
Filed: November 30, 1999) : Confirmation No.: 8003
For: MINI-ENVIRONMENT POD DEVICE,) : October 5, 2006
AN EXPOSURE APPARATUS AND A :
DEVICE MANUFACTURING METHOD)
USING THE SAME :
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Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT:RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANCE:& PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant petitions to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated August 21, 2006 to and including October 21, 2006. Please charge our Deposit Account 06-1205 in the amount of \$120.00 for an one-month extension of time.

Supplemental to the Amendment filed June 13, 2006 and in further response to the Office Action dated March 13, 2006 and in response to the notice of non-compliance of August 21, 2006, please amend the above identified application as follows: